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OF THE

SELECTMEN

AND

OVERSEERS OF THE POOR,

OF HUDSON, FOR 1845 & 6.



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SELECTMENS' ACCOUNT

OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS.

RECEIPTS.

Amount in the Treasury, including outstanding taxes, as per report of the Committee to settle with the Town Treasurer.

The Committee, chosen to settle with the Town Treasurer, having attended to the duty assigned them, ask leave to report.

Your Committee find outstanding taxes in 1843—D. Clement, Collector, 2 87

Also—outstanding taxes in 1844—D. Clement, Collector, 176 10

Your Committee find in the Treasury, 375 09

All of which is respectfully submitted.

REUBEN GREELY, }
PARKER SMITH, } Committee.
PAUL HARDY, }

March 10, 1845.

Amount in Treasury, as per above report, \$554 06

Amount of taxes assessed in 1845, 2009 73

Received of County Treasurer for support of paupers, 427 68

“ John R. Farnum, 21 67

“ State Treasurer, proportion of railroad tax, 20 59

“ for horse sold from poor farm, 27 00

“ from the town of Litchfield, 1 00

\$3061 73

DISBURSEMENTS.

Cash paid to wit :—

A. & N. McKean's store bill for 1844,	118 85
Kendrick & Tuttle for goods for 1844,	34 36
John Greeley, Jr., for services at poor farm, 1844,	105 83
Doctoring and nursing Patty Tarbox in Chester, a debt of 1844,	27 50
Samuel Greeley, for bridge plank found in 1844,	62
Benj. Jones, for a cow for town farm,	17
Wm. Baldwin, land damage for new road near his house,	25
John M. Farnum, for land damage for road,	4
John Ames, for taking care of Alfred Thomas, while sick—a county pauper,	25 99
Wm. Atwood, for support of Geo. H. Vose, do.	32 83
Thomas Senter, Jr., land damage for a new high- way near his house,	20
Thomas B. Wason, for running out a piece of new highway near T. Senter, Jr's,	1
Nath'l M. Morse, for work done on school house in Dis. No. 2, 1844,	7 62
Isaac Winn, school money for 1844,	23 22
James M. Davis, for the support of Mr. Dow, from the 6th of May, 1844, to the 6th of May, 1845,	26
Dana Smith, for attending as an evidence in the case of G. Boles, 1844,	64
Alfred S. Smith, for a waggon for town,	54
Darius Hagar, school money for 1844,	15 26
Moses Webster, for building bridge at Winn's mill,	200
Daniel Smith, school money for 1844,	11 72
B. F. Chase, " " "	19 58
T. Marsh, " " "	18 63
John M. Farnum, for building a piece of highway.	6 70
Thomas Senter, Jr., " "	24 87
Phinehas Wood, school money,	43 30
Susan Steel,	29
Soldiers' rations,	35 50
James Caldwell, for work done on bridge near Winn's mill in 1844,	1
Chase & Shattuck, for shingles for barn on the town farm,	20

Lydia Greeley, for nursing Amos Robinson,	2	
D. B. Andrews, school money,	43	30
G. Y. Sawyer, for counsel in case of Sally Weeks in 1844,	2	
Mrs. Glover, for nursing Amos Robinson,	50	
H. M. Hook, for doctoring Alfred Thomas, a county pauper,	18	
Chase & Shattuck, for plaster for town farm,	5	
Gilman Andrews, school money, 1844,	4	71
Town of Haverhill, for the relief of widow Jo- seph Wyman,	5	
Samuel Gowing, for school money in 1844	12	17
Mr. Tarbox, for a horse for the town,	45	
Allen Andrews, for repairing hearse house,	1	13
Levi Cross, school money,	43	30
Isaac Winn, " "	43	30
For the relief of James Corliss' family,	5	40
James Smith, boot between horses.	8	
J. T. & G. Wheeler, goods for Amos Robinson,	1	27
C. P. Danforth, for invoice books,	7	
John Greeley, on account of salary,	90	
James Pierce, for use of money let to the town,	2	
Daniel M. Greeley, school money for 1844,	20	30
James Carnes, for blacksmithing,	4	30
Wm. T. Baldwin, for building a piece of new highway,	8	99
John Cross, for cow for town farm,	15	50
Thomas Marsh school money,	43	30
Gilman Andrews, " "	43	30
" " for cash paid by him for the town,	3	46
F. Peabody, for blacksmithing,	2	76
B. F. Chase, school money,	43	30
J. P. F. Cross, for cash paid by him for town,	18	83
Warren Blodgett, for taking care of Polly Smith when sick,	4	
Alvan Smith, for relief and funeral charges of Asa Parker.	11	05
John N. Marshall, for goods for Amos Robinson and N. Marshall,	6	29
J. Rockwood, for coffins for the poor,	6	63
Simeon Combs, for support of his son 11 weeks,	3	67
Soldiers' bounty,	45	

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Isaac Winn, for plank for bridge, 1844,	5 17
State tax,	259 80
County tax,	328 79
P. Smith, land damage on highway near J. Dean's,	120 26
Paul Colburn, for a record book,	1 75
" for plank,	49
Nonresident highway tax,	32 81
J. P. F. Cross, for services as Selectman,	26 50
Gilman Andrews, " "	34
Alvan Smith, " "	27
Paul Colburn, for services as Treasurer and re- cording taxes,	8
John W. Underwood, for printing tax bills,	1 25
" " for abatement of taxes,	11 71
Auditing Committee,	4

Whole amount of Disbursements,	\$2431 31
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The amount of Receipts,	3061 73
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The amount of Disbursements,	2431 31
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Balance in favor of town,	630 42
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Out of which the Town is owing,

McKean's store bill,	102 88
J. N. Marshall's bill,	21 59
E. Dow, building road,	21 20
Note to Lucinda Andrews,	45
School Money,	86 60
J. Greely,	60
Doctor's bill,	25
Widow Davis' bill,	16 50
Probably small debts,	50

	361 77
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Balance in favor of town,	198 65
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Abatement of Taxes.

James Corlis, unable to pay,	1 41
John Hardy, by his request,	1 41
Daniel Ripley, deceased,	1 41

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Robert Osgood, moved away,	1 41
David Osgood, moved away,	1 41
Thomas Richardson, error in invoice,	4 66

11 71

J. P. F. Cross,	}	<i>Selectmen of Hudson.</i>
GILMAN ANDREWS,		
ALVAN SMITH,		

The Committee chosen to settle with the Treasurer of the town of Hudson for the years 1845 and 1846, up to Feburary 21, 1846, having attended to the duty assigned them, ask leave to report :

Your Committee find outstanding Taxes in

1843, D. Clement, Collector, \$2 87

Also they find outstanding taxes in 1844,

David Clement, Collector, 76 10

Your Committee find outstanding taxes in 1845,

J. W. Underwood, Collector, 267

We find the Treasurer's account well vouched,
and correctly cast, and find a balance in the
Treasurer's hands, cash,

262 31

All of which is respectfully submitted by your
Committee.

REUBEN GREELEY,	}	<i>Auditing Committee.</i>
JEREMIAH SMITH,		
JACOB CHASE,		

POOR FARM EXPENSES.

McKean's store bill,	\$102 88
John N. Marshall's store bill	21 59
For repairing waggon,	50
For hired help in the house,	50
For beef bought in 1844,	6 44
For fresh fish,	50
For paper,	12
For grinding plaster,	1
For a pair of spectacles,	25
For Leather,	80
For Veal,	46
For wooden ware, &c.,	3 27
For sheep shears,	50
Edward Folansby, for blacksmithing,	1 53
Foster Averil, for use of cider-mill in 1844,	1 68
For a milk-pail,	42
For four milk-pans,	1 33
For seven bushels of Rye,	5 25
For two bushels of Rye,	1 50
Moody Greeley, cash,	50
N. R. Proctor, cash,	50
Shepard, for meat,	40

For weaving 42 yards of cloth,	6 08
For potash,	50
Moody Greeley, cash,	50
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Thomas Senter, for a calf,	3
A. P. Huse, for an account left for collection contracted in 1843,	1
For crackers,	2 75
For tolls at Taylor's Falls bridge,	1 49
N. R. Proctor, cash,	25
For sundries,	3 56
James Carnes, for blacksmithing,	4 30
F. Peabody, for blacksmithing,	2 76
I. C. Fowle, for blacksmithing,	1 06
Benjamin K. Jones, for a cow,	17
John Cross, for a cow,	15 50
For a horse for the town,	53 00
Alfred S. Smith, for a waggon,	54 00
John Greeley, on account of salary up to Feby. 16, 1846,	153 13
Chase & Shattuck, for plaster,	5
“ “ for shingles for barn,	20
H. M. Hook, for doctoring poor,	25
Total expense at poor farm,	522 40

Cash received at Poor Farm.

Rec'd of John N. Marshall, for butter,	\$3 01
“ Dea. Chandler, for hay	7
“ John Folansby, for vinegar,	25
“ John Bright, for hay,	2
“ David Whittemore, for hay,	8 25
“ John Towns, for hay,	3 75
“ Paul Morrill, for Lambs,	24
“ Sandford Greeley, for cider,	1 25
“ Gilman Andrews, for labor,	9
“ Abijah Hills, for labor,	2
“ Phinehas Wood, for beans,	75
“ For cow-hides,	4 48
“ Phinehas Wood, for board,	8
“ “ “ for beans,	75
“ For cloth,	96

"	From the County of Hillsborough,	427 68
"	For a horse sold,	27
"	John N. Marshall, for one pair of shoes,	50
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Expense of Poor off the Farm.

For doctoring and nursing Patty Tarbox, in Chester, a debt of 1844,	27 50
John Ames, for boarding, nursing and finding clothes for Alfred Thomas, a County pauper,	25 99
William Atwood, for boarding and finding clothes for George H. Vose, County pauper,	15 83
For the support of Oliver Dow, from June 27th 1844, to Dec. 27, 1845,	39
H. M. Hook, for medical services for Alfred Thomas, a County Pauper,	18
The town of Haverhill for the support of widow Joseph Wyman,	5
William Atwood, for board and clothing for G. H. Vose, a County pauper,	17
Amory Burnham, for wood furnished for James Corlis,	1 92
For the support of James Corlis,	3 48
Warren Blodgett, for the support of Polly Smith,	5
Nursing and funeral, charges for Asa Parker,	13 80
For the relief of Amos Robinson, in his last sickness—and funeral charges,	11 63
For the relief of Nathaniel Marshall and family,	2 38
For funeral charges for Cyrus Marshall,	1 43
Simeon Combs, for the support of his son from Nov. 29, 1845, to Feb. 14, 1846,	3 67
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	191 63
Expense of the Poor at the farm,	522 40
" " away from the farm,	191 63
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Total expense of the poor,	714 03
From which deduct the amount of receipts at the farm,	530 63
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Balance against the farm,	183 40

INVOICE OF STOCK, PROVISIONS, &c.,

At the Alms-House, Feb. 7, 1846.

1 pair oxen,	\$80	150 " ham,	12
5 cows,	75	2 1-2 bbls. pork,	36
7 yearlings,	35	58 lbs. butter,	9 28
1 horse,	50	30 " tallow,	1 80
14 sheep,	28	40 " lard,	3 20
7 tons of English hay,	98	3 gallons apple-sauce,	75
1 ton Run hay,	7	5 lbs. candles,	40
A lot of corn-fodder		3 bushels meal,	2 50
and straw,	15	4 lbs. tobacco,	67
2 gig waggons,	53	2 gal. molasses,	60
1 winnowing mill,	7	1 lb. tea,	50
2 horse harnesses,	12	13 yds. fulled cloth,	9 75
Shovels and manure-forks,	2 50	2 " pressed cloth,	1
2 ox yokes,	1 50	Total,	864 70
4 chains,	3	<i>Surveyors of Highways.</i>	
2 trace chains,	50	John Greeley,	
1 whiffletree and chain,	50	Jefferson Smith,	
1 ox cart,	17	Dustin Smith,	
1 ox sled,	2	Paul Colburn,	
2 stone drags,	1 50	Eli Hamlet,	
4 axes,	2 50	Abijah Hills,	
1 sleigh,	2	Paul Hardy,	
1 wheelbarrow,	2	Eben Hadley,	
4 scythes and sneaths,	4	John Cross,	
3 augers,	75	Paul T Winn,	
1 wood-saw,	1	Moses Smith,	
1 hand saw,	25	Charles Steel,	
1 square and one shave,	75	John R. Farnum.	
1 iron bar,	1	<i>Sealer of Weights and Measures.</i>	
1 string of bells,	75	Eli Hamlet.	
1 beetle and wages,	75	<i>Pound Keeper.</i>	
1 grindstone,	1 50	Isaac Winn.	
2 wooden shovels,	1 50	<i>Measurers of Wood.</i>	
2 sickles,	1	26 25 Benjamin Kidder,	
2 ploughs,	14	4 50 Eli Hamlet,	
1 harrow,	3	53 75 Abijah Hills,	
4 shoats,	20	12 50 Levi Cross,	
17½ bush. white beans,	26	5 Moody Hills,	
4 1-2 col'd beans,	4 50	Warren Pollard,	
64½ bushels corn,	53 75	Timothy S. Ford,	
15 " rye,	12 50	John N. Marshall,	
10 " oats,	5	Samuel Davis, Jr.	
1-2 bbl. soap,	2	50	
240 bushels of potatoes,	108	<i>Surveyors of Lumber.</i>	
50 heads cabbages,	1 50	Allen Andrews,	
6 bushels beets,	2	Thomas Hamblet,	
1 " onions,	50		
3 bbls. vinegar,	12		
2 " cider,	4		
180 lbs. corned beef,	9		

Gano Senter,
Isaac Winn,
Ethan Willoughby.

Constables.
John Greely, Jr.,
Eli Hamlet.

Cullers of Slaves.
Elias Barron,
Gilman Andrews,
Hugh Smith.

Fence Viewers.
Jacob Chase,
Jeremiah Smith,
Eben Hadley.

J. P. F. CROSS,
GILMAN ANDREWS,
ALVAN SMITH, } *Overseers
of
the Poor.*

ABSTRACT OF INVOICE, APRIL 1st, 1845.

Amount of Real Estate, Mills, &c.,	\$297118
Bank Stock,	7800
Money at interest,	10705
Stock in trade,	1660
135 Horses, value	4805
894 Neat Stock,	16518
767 Sheep,	1296
251 Polls,	75300
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Railroad Stock owned by citizens of Hudson—eleven thousand and fifty dollars, for which the town received from the State Treasurer, twenty dollars fifty-nine cents, as their proportion of Railroad Tax.

Literary fund—twenty-nine dollars sixty-nine cents, which is distributed equally among the several School districts.

SERVICES OF TOWN OFFICERS.

J. P. F. Cross as Selectman and Overseer of Poor,	26	50
Gilman Andrews, " "	34	
Alvan Smith, " "	27	
Paul Colburn, Town Treasurer and Town Clk,	8	
Reuben Greely, Jeremiah Smith and Jacob Chase,		
Auditing Committee,	4	
John W. Underwood, Collector of Taxes,	32	

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